

HUNTER REPORTS SKELETON FOUND, SEYMOUR CANAL

Remains of John Dugan, Local Resident, Believed to Have Been Found.

Word of the discovery of a decomposed body, believed to be the remains of John Dugan, local fisherman and longshoreman lost in November last year, was brought to town today by Charles Grohman, arriving from Oliver Inlet. The gruesome find was made last Saturday by Gus Lungren, a Taku River fisherman, while hunting on Glass Peninsula.

The matter was reported by Grohman to the Federal authorities this morning. A party was to have been organized this afternoon and sent out after the remains which will be brought here for an inquest, it was said.

The remains, a skeleton, hair and tags, was found on the shore of a dry lagoon near an old camping ground on the Glass Peninsula shore of Seymour Canal about five miles below the portage, Mr. Grohman reported. It was beneath an old overturned skiff. A rifle, standing near the boat, attracted the attention of Lungren and upon investigation he found the boat almost concealed by dead grass. Looking under it he saw the bones and noted that the color of the hair was red. Recalling that Dugan was lost in that vicinity and knowing that his hair was red, he came to the conclusion it was his remains. He made no examination of the remains to determine if papers or anything else were present to establish the identity. He left everything intact and reported it to Grohman for making the report to the proper officials. Lungren noted charred fragments of wood and charcoal near the boat, indicating, said Grohman, that Dugan or whoever it was had built a fire before crawling under the boat for shelter.

Dugan has been missing about 13 months. He became lost while hunting with Frank Mason in November, 1923. The latter, an Indian, who has a cabin in the Seymour Canal district, after searching a day or so for him, came to town and reported his companion's disappearance. Searching parties were kept in the district for several days. Although they found traces of the missing man, they were unable to locate him and the search was eventually abandoned.

At the time Dugan left Juneau, according to close friends of the man, he had between \$200 and \$400 with him. If the remains are his, the money should be found with the bones and establish the identity of the remains beyond question, it was said.

INFORMATION IS WANTED CONCERNING WALTER HEINIG

Mayor Goldstein has received a request from W. Heinig, 101 Calender Street, Boston 24, Mass., asking for information concerning the whereabouts of his son Walter Heinig, of Everett, Mass. The son was last heard from in 1908 and the father desires that he write.

Minnesota Man Urged For Secretary of Agri.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—The selection of Charles H. March, of Minnesota, as Secretary of Agriculture, was today urged by Gov. Preus in a conference with President Coolidge.

250 Girls Driven Out Into Cold, Result Fire

BRIDGEWATER, Mass., Dec. 10.—Two hundred and fifty girls were driven from the dormitories in scant attire early this morning when fire destroyed the buildings of the State Normal School. The property loss is estimated at \$500,000.

War Minister Trotzky Must Leave Russia Now

MOSCOW, Dec. 10.—War Minister Trotzky has been suffering for the past four weeks from fever following an attack in influenza and it is imperative that he immediately leave for a milder climate, it is officially announced.

A paper for sale at The Empire

ATTENTION SHOPPERS

For the benefit of shoppers unable to call during the day time, I will remain open evenings for Christmas shopping from now until Christmas Eve.

COATS ELECTRIC SHOP
PHONE 24

COWBOY-PREACHER EXERCISES MOUNT.



REV. GIL TRAVELLER, M. E.

The Rev. "Gil" Traveller, cowboy-preacher, of Charron, N. M., is shown exercising his mount between sessions of the Methodist Board of Home Missions and Church Extension, which he attended in Boston.

SUZUKI MURDER TRIAL DELAYED

Trial of Japanese Slayer Starts Tomorrow — Fish Case in Hands of Jury.

The beginning of the Japanese murder trial in the Federal district court, in which M. Suzuki is charged with the murder of Margaret Andrianoff, worker in a Petersburg cannery, which was scheduled for this morning, was postponed by Judge T. M. Reed until tomorrow morning. Failure to complete the Booth Fisheries case was the cause of the delay.

The latter case was completed this morning and went to the jury just prior to adjournment for the noon recess. No verdict had been reached by it at 3 p. m. Both sides in the case rested yesterday afternoon and arguments were made this morning. Judge Reed completed his instructions to the jury just prior to the noon adjournment. Owing to the fact there was an insufficient number of talesmen left on the petit jury panel, with the Booth Fisheries jury still occupied, it was considered advisable to postpone the Suzuki case rather than

draw an additional venire at this time. Selection of the jury for the murder case will begin at 10 a. m. tomorrow. Government attorneys did not believe that there would be any serious difficulty in obtaining it as few of the details are known locally.

New Motor Fuel Demonstrated with Excellent Results

PARIS, Dec. 10.—Tests by the artillery agencies are said to have justified the claims of the new motor fuel extracted from debenzolized coal and tar products. It is said the fuel develops greater power and higher mileage at a cost one-tenth of that of gasoline. This has been demonstrated by experiments made on army trucks.

Gov.-Elect Hartley Makes His First Appointment

SEATTLE, Dec. 10.—Claire Bowman, of Tacoma, former University of Washington track star, has been chosen State Director of Labor and Industries by Gov.-Elect Hartley. This was Hartley's first appointment.

Bundles of old newspapers at The Empire, 25 cents a bundle

GOWEY SHEPARD GIVEN FEDERAL POSITION HERE

Appointment as Metal Mining Assistant Is Announced by B. D. Stewart.

The appointment of J. G. Shepard, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Shepard of this city as Federal metal mining assistant for Alaska was announced today by B. D. Stewart, Mining Supervisor for Alaska. Mr. Shepard is now enroute here from Butte where he has been employed for the past two years and will probably arrive early next week. He will make his headquarters here.

He will act as Mr. Stewart's assistant in investigating matters pertaining to lode mining, mine inspection, aiding prospectors, etc. He will also aid Mr. Stewart in making a study of the Territory's mineral resources, particularly as to the availability to commercial development and other uses. "His appointment was made so that he could carry out fully the co-operative work of the Federal Bureau of Mines and the Territory which was started several years ago and re-sanctioned at the last session of the Alaska Legislature," said Mr. Stewart.

Mr. Shepard has had some 14 years practical experience in lode mining and comes to the Bureau with very strong recommendations from former employers. He received his early education in the Juneau Public Schools, and left the local High School at the completion of his junior year. He is a graduate of Queen Anne High at Seattle and had some work in the University of Washington. He is a graduate of the U. S. School of Military Aeronautics completing his flying training at Camp Mather where he was awarded his wings as a military aviator.

He was chief sampler at Perseverance for the Alaska Gastineau assayer and engineer for the Granby Mining Co.; had charge of flotation and was mill man for the Utah Mining Co.; engineer and chemist for the Carbon Hill Coal Co., of Washington; engineer for the Puget Sound & Astoria Ry.; mine superintendent for the Sunset Copper Co.; engineer and shift boss for the Kennecott Copper Co. shift boss on development work for the past two years for the Butte & Superior Copper Co.

Mr. Shepard left Butte last Monday for Juneau to assume his new duties. He is expected to sail from Seattle on the steamer Alameda next Saturday.

M. E. AID SOCIETY MEETS. The Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church will hold a business meeting Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Brieland on Third and Dixon Streets.

Girl Minister Decries Sob Sister Tricks



MARGUERITE V. POHOK

Here is New England's first bob-haired minister! Fresh from a season as preacher in two Methodist churches in Maine, Miss Marguerite V. Pohok, of West Somerville, Mass., is conducting a series of services in Boston. "The trouble with women preachers," she declares, "is that they develop into cheap imitations of Billy Sunday. They get a little tremolo into their voices and get people into church by the urge of emotion alone."

MRS. ALICE M'NUTT IS MARRIED TO CAPT. HALL

Monday afternoon in this city, Mrs. Alice McNutt became the bride of Capt. J. E. Hall, U. S. Commissioner Felix Gray, of Douglas, performing the ceremony Capt. and Mrs. Hall will continue to reside in this city.

Mrs. Hall has resided in Juneau for the past ten years and is well known and has many friends here. Capt. Hall is also well known in Juneau. He is master of the mine tender Chichagof and has been employed on that boat for several years.

LIKE JUNEAU ON VISIT; RETURN AND WILL LOCATE HERE

H. E. Raymond and wife, who arrived on the Alaska yesterday, visited Juneau last summer and the city made such an emphatic hit that they returned to their home in Walla Walla, Wash., disposed of their holdings and have returned here and will locate. Mr. Raymond intends to enter some business here as soon as a suitable location is found.

Study the store ads—for they will clarify most of your buying problems.

EASTERN STAR ELECT OFFICERS

Installation Will Take Place Sometime During First Month of 1925.

At the regular meeting last night of Juneau Chapter No. 7, Order of the Eastern Star, the following officers were elected for 1925:

Mary Weston, Worthy Matron.
Walter B. King, Worthy Patron.
Fronnie Mock, Associate Matron.
Fanny Robinson, Secretary, re-elected.

Rena Leivers, Treasurer, re-elected.
Amy Guerin, Conductress.
Mae Williams, Associate Matron.
Katherine Casey, Trustee.
Eckley Guerin, Trustee.
The installation ceremonies will take place some time in January.

CHARLES D. GARFIELD IS MARRIED AT EVERETT

SEATTLE, Dec. 10.—It became known today that Charles R. Garfield, pioneer of Alaska and director of the Alaska Bureau of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, and his private Secretary, Miss Viola E. M. Bundson, were married at Everett last Friday.

Mr. Garfield came to Alaska in the '90s as bookkeeper for the C. W. Young Company and more than twenty years ago he entered the United States Customs Service. For many years he was Deputy Collector in charge of the sub-port at Nome. He was brought to Juneau as Special Deputy Collector when John R. Willis became Collector of Customs and was retained in that position throughout the administrations of John V. Pugh and John W. Troy. With the retirement of the latter he resigned and was made director of the Alaska Bureau of the Seattle Chamber of Commerce. He is still a property holder in Juneau, where he has many friends whose congratulations will be his.

ALASKA WOMAN RETURNS TO NEW YORK JOURNALISM

Mrs. Helen Green Van Campen Cotter has returned to New York journalism, and is again writing pieces for the Morning Telegraph. The following is from P. A. P.'s column in the New York World:

"This paragraph is written to welcome back to New York Helen Green Van Campen. Many years ago her daily pieces in the Morning Telegraph, in the American language, were literature. She is on the Telegraph again, and our delight in her return is equalled by the warmth of our congratulations to the Telegraph."

Study the store ads—and learn about those new things which are shown for the first time today.

Jack London's Daughter Sues for Divorce.



MRS. JOAN LONDON ABBOTT

Mrs. Joan London Abbott, of San Francisco, has sued for divorce there from Park Abbott because he objected to the daughter of Jack London, famous novelist, using her maiden name on her writings. She is determined to link her name with that of her father in her literary career.

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